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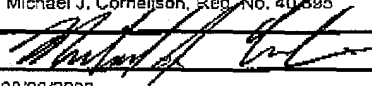
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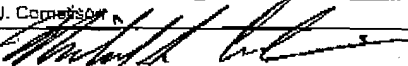
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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Final Office Action dated March 31, 2003, Applicant filed a Request for Continued Examination with an Amendment. The filed Amendment was not entered because the listing of claims did not include previously cancelled claims 1-11 and 22-25. Applicant therefore re-submits the Amendment with the cancelled claims included in the listing of claims. Accordingly, a complete listing of all of the claims is present in ascending numerical order in this Amendment, including cancelled claims 1-11 and 22-25. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.